January 31, 2006

Ms. Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
One South Station, 2nd Floor
Boston, Massachusetts 02110

RE: Massachusetts Electric Company and Nantucket Electric Company, D.T.E. 06-5

Dear Ms. Cottrell:

Enclosed please find the Attorney General's Notice of Intervention and Appearance of Counsel in the above matter.

Sincerely,

Colleen McConnell Assistant Attorney General

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cc: John J. Geary, Hearing Officer
Amy Rabinowitz, Esq., Massachusetts Electric Company

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding. Dated at Boston this 31st day of January, 2006.

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APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL

Please enter our appearance on behalf of Thomas F. Reilly, the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Mass achusetts, in the above captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTORNEY GENERAL'S NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

Thomas F. Reilly, as he is the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, hereby gives notice of intervention in the above-captioned matter under the authority granted him by M.G.L. c. 12, §11E.

Respectfully submitted,

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